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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
HIROSHI KASE, ET AL.) : Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
Application No.: Not Yet Assigned) : Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
(National Phase of PCT Application No. :
PCT/JP2005/006033 filed March 30, 2005))
Filed: Concurrently herewith)
For: PROPHYLACTIC AND/OR)
THERAPEUTIC AGENTS FOR)
CHRONIC MUSCULOSKELETAL) : September 27, 2006
PAIN)

Commissioner for Patents
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to action on the merits, please amend the above-identified application
as follows: